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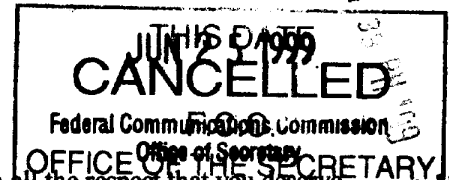
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William E. Kennard, Chairman  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th St. S.W.  
Washington DC 20554

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Dear Mr. Kennard,

My name is Miguel Angel Arana Mendez. I am addressing this letter to you with all the respect that you deserve and I thank you for your attention, collaboration, and understanding. In this letter, I want to present to you my business plan explaining my desire, interest, and illusions to start a small business. I hope to count on your support to get the licenses needed and permits from the FCC to start working in a profession that I know in depth and with which I am very experienced. Specifically, I wish to open an FM radio station in Spanish with 10 kw of power.

My objective is that my plans become a reality with your help so that the radio station can begin to serve the Hispanic Community in many ways, and to establish a source of work for many people. I have done surveys of businesses and individuals and all have given me their support. I have enclosed a few samples of such.

I am asking for help through the Program of Disabled People of the Small Business Administration to establish my own business. I am a Disabled Person. Ten years ago I suffered a work-related accident that hurt my back. As a result it is impossible for me to perform any kind of heavy work. I am also a person who prefers to work rather than to get any social help or "Welfare". I dedicated myself to learn a new profession 10 years ago. I learned the profession of Radio Announcer and studied Spanish Broadcasting. When I made that decision, with my mother's assistance, I paid for all my studies from my own pocket. I started to learn this new career at a school in Hollywood and continued in Redlands, California. I selected this career because it is one that does not require heavy physical labor and also because I have been attracted to it for many years. After I finished my studies, I worked for some radio stations in the Inland Empire and the Coachella Valley which helped me to gain a lot of experience in different parts of broadcasting- such as: radio announcing, production of radio commercials, and executive sales Agent.

At the present time, I am unemployed. The reason I am unemployed is because all the Spanish radio stations do not have any openings. Also, there are only a few existing Spanish radio stations in the Inland Empire and Coachella Valley. The first months that I was unemployed, I decided to study the career of Optical Dispensing. The Insurance company paid for these classes, but I could not find a job in this area, either. During the period of time that I have been unemployed, my wife has supported me economically because I do not want to get help from "Welfare".

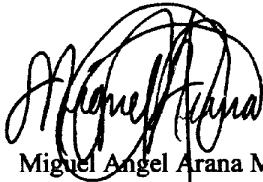
When I was looking for a job in radio broadcasting and optical fields, I went to the offices of the State to get help finding a job and by chance I visited the EDD where Mrs. Josie Carrasco (909-275-3100) assisted me and in Riverside, California, where Mr. Jaime Hurtado (Development Specialist) assisted me. Unfortunately, the help they gave me to find a job was too little and also to learn another career, because according to them, they did not have enough funds.

Since it has been difficult to find a job, I decided to open my own business with the money that I am about to get from the settlement of my work-related injury that I suffered 10 years ago. It is \$14,000 and my desire is to invest this money in my own business because I want to work in a field that interests me and that I can do. This way, I will be able to support myself without having to ask for help from "Welfare". Naturally, the amount of money that I will have for this enterprise is too little for this type of business and that is why I am asking for your important support.

I have taken some of the steps required to establish a radio station. For example the name I have chosen is "KEMA" in honor to my mother at 94.5 FM (this frequency is completely free). Also, my desire is to establish a radio station utilizing the newest computer technology.

Please assist me in any way possible so that I might obtain the necessary licenses and permits. While I await your reply, I am working on the finishing touches of my plan and preparing all the FCC applications that need to be completed under the supervision of an engineer. Should you desire further information, contact me at the address and telephone number provided on this letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Miguel Arana', with a long vertical line extending downwards from the end of the signature.

Miguel Angel Arana Mendez

cc: Small Business Administration  
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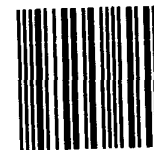
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